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FEBRUARY 2005

2005 DUES ARE DUE

2005 dues are due. Bring them the 12th or mail a check for $10, made out to "EAA Chapter 932", to Treasurer **Dave Spitzbart, 250 Hoy Av., Woodstock, IL 60098**. Please write your EAA National number and expiration date on your check. Deadline is Mar 15!

VALENTINE 'PASTA POTLUCK' AND DANCE

Michael and Joeleen Stanard are once again hosting the "Pasta Pot-luck" at their beautiful *Studio At One Zero Charlie* on Galt Airport.

There will be music and dancing. Michael has booked Mike McCoy (on guitar, Joe on base and RJ on keyboards). "I'll ask the band to be set up by 6:00 and be ready for some background music as people arrive, mingle and start to nosh. They will keep it laid back during dinner and conversation – soft enough that Tom Hoppe can leave his ear plugs at home. Later, if people like, they can crank it up a bit and we can have dancing."

Remember, Monday is Valentines Day, so this is where you take your Sweetie this year! (cheap date guys)

Come around 6 PM. BYOB and a dish to pass, the accent is on *Italian.* Bring any required serving utensils. We'll provide you with plates, 'silverware' cups, soft drinks and coffee. This event is getting to be one of the membership's favorites. Last year we had about 50 show up. Don't miss it – you'll like it!

2005 EAA AIR ACADEMY SCHOLORSHIPS

Once again Chapter 932 will be sending four eager area youngsters to an EAA Air Academy youth camp at the Pioneer Airport/Airventure Museum Campus at EAA headquarters in Oshkosh, WI. Tell your kids and your friends kids that they have a very good chance of winning as there are only a couple dozen applicants each year. For more information and an application, check our web site or contact contest coordinator John Theriault. See P.1 of John's introductory letter below:

EAA AIR ACADEMY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Experimental Aircraft Association (EAA) Chapter 932, located at Galt Airport, is proud to announce the third annual EAA Air Academy Scholarship Contest. The contest is open to all McHenry County students ages 12-15. The fast-paced Air Academy program provides opportunities in hands-on workshops and computer laboratories. Participants explore nearly every facet of flight, from balsa gliders to the large collection of aircraft at EAA's world class Air Venture Museum located in Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

This year, two 12-13 year old winners will receive a scholarship to attend the four day EAA Young Eagles Camp II (a $550 value). Two 14-15 year old winners will receive a scholarship to the five day EAA Basic Air Academy (a $750 value).

The contest will run from January 15, 2005 and conclude February 28, 2005. The winners will be announced by March 20, 2005. All applicants will need to complete the EAA Air Academy Application as well as two letters of recommendation and a brief essay which will be explained in greater detail on the next page. Please note: the four winners of last year's contest are not eligible for a prize this year.

Completed applications should be returned by February 28, 2005 to:
EAA Chapter 932
P.O. Box 1564
Woodstock, IL 60098

For more information contact John Theriault at 206-4420 or Galt Airport at 648-2433. You can also obtain information from our chapter web page at www.eaa932.org or the Experimental Aircraft Association's web site at www.eaa.org.

TIP OF THE MONTH

If you arrive at a place where they have only two tie-down anchors, tying the tail to a fuel truck isn't always a good idea.

WEB SITES

Here are three cool web sites you might want to check out in your spare time, or possibly, on someone else's time:

See how a molecule of air journeying through a jet engine ala "Fantastic Voyage" feels. It uses the suck, squeeze, bang, blow anology – ever thought of turbojets as four cycle engines?
http://www.rollsroyce.com/education/schools/journey/flash.html

Video clip of a 330 lb., 23' wing span turbojet (12 lb. thrust each) RC model of a B-52 – Taxi, Takeoff, do maneuvers and land.
www.MCgirt.net/RC/VIDEOS/Giant_B52/

Mini-cams on the back of an Eagle, one looking forward, the other aft, give remarkable insight into how a bird controls its flight without benefit of ailerons, elevators or rudder. *"Attn: Mr. Rutan, God on line two…."*
http://media.animal.discovery.com/convergence/spyonthewild/birdtech/birdtech.html?ct=1329.15073148073
(Select "continue", then "mini-cam", then click on individual picture icons for videos.)

Do you know some good web sites? Send them to the Ed, jeffryhill@direcway.com

THREE RETIRED PILOTS by JH,sr.

Oscar: "When I think of all the ignorance in the world, I'm depressed." Foxy: "That's nothing compared to the apathy that exists!" Papa: "Well, I don't know about any of that and I really don't give a damn."

2005 EAA 932 CALENDAR

FEB 12 MEETING AND PARTY SET-UP 10 AM ***PASTA POTLUCK AND VALENTINE DAY DANCE*** AT *STUDIO AT ONE ZERO CHARLIE* 6 PM
MAR 12 TENTATIVE, VISIT TO THE B-17 PROJECT IN MARENGO 10 AM
APR 9 WORK DAY TO CLEANUP HANGAR AND GROUNDS - BRING TOOLS AND BODIES 10 AM
APR 23 TENTATIVE, **SAFETY SEMINAR** FROM 8:30 AM TO 3:00 PM
MAY 14 ***YOUNG EAGLES DAY*** 11 AM TO 4 PM
MAY 20, 21, 22 WORK WEEKEND AT OSH, CONTACT JOHN ROACH, PLANEJOHN@AOL.COM
JUN 11 BREAKFAST FLY-OUT, CONTACT SCOTT FEEMAN, FLYBOY42BRAVO@AOL.COM
JUN 24, 25, 26 WORK WEEKEND # 2 AT OSH CONTACT JOHN ROACH, PLANEJOHN@AOL.COM
JUL 9 EAA 932 MEETING WITH PROGRAM, TBA
JUL 25-31 ***AIRVENTURE 2005 – OSHKOSH!*** GO TO WWW.AIRVENTURE.ORG
JUL 29 DINNER AT OSH FOR MEMBERS AT AIR-VENTURE, CONTACT JOHN ROACH
AUG 10 SETUP TENT FOR F & T 5:30 PM
AUG 13, 14 ***FLYERS & TIRES*** GO TO WWW.FLYERS-TIRES.COM
SEP 10 ***YOUNG EAGLES DAY*** 11 AM TO 4PM
OCT 8 ***CHILIFEST, HAYRIDE & BONFIRE*** 5 PM
NOV 12 EAA 932 MEETING 10 AM ELECTION OF PRES. & V.P. PROGRAM TBA
DEC 10 EAA 932 MEETING 10 AM, PLAN 2006 CALENDAR, PROGRAM TBA

For information on
PILOT ALERTS – EVENTS – FLY-INS
GO TO:
AOPA: www.aopa.org
EAA: www.eaa.org
FAA: www.faa.gov
EAA 932: www.eaa932.org
Il DOT: www.dot.state.il.us/aero/index.html
WI DOT: www.dot.wisconsin.gov/travel/air/genral.html

EAA 932 Meetings 2nd Saturdays 10 AM

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